



# NEWS RELEASE

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### *Update:*

## **I-5 (Santa Ana Freeway) Full Freeway Closures for Florence Ave. Bridge Demolition**

**Norwalk / Santa Fe Springs** - The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) today announced an additional overnight full freeway closure of Interstate 5 northbound and southbound between Interstate 605 and Norwalk Blvd. with related ramp closures for Florence Avenue bridge demolition tonight, Dec. 7. The closures are subject to change and are scheduled as follows:

### **Overnight Tonight, Thursday :**

- Northbound I-5 *all lanes closed* from Norwalk Blvd. to I-605 (11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m.)
- Southbound I-5 *all lanes closed* from I-605 to Imperial Highway (11:00 p.m. to 5 a.m.)
- Northbound I-605 connector ramp to southbound I-5 closed (7 p.m. to 5 a.m.)
- Southbound I-605 connector ramp to southbound I-5 closed (7 p.m. to 5 a.m.)
- Florence Ave. closed in both directions between Studebaker Road and Orr & Day Road (8 p.m. to 5 a.m.)

Detours with signs will be in place. For more details and maps of detours go to My5LA.com.

These overnight closures will allow the demolition of the second half of the Florence Avenue bridge. Reconstruction of the second half of the bridge is expected to be completed by late summer of 2018.

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